UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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SUBJECT: Preliminary Assessment Review

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Reviewer concurs with all information presented in the Preliminary Assessment Summary prepared by the state Department of Health Services for this site in April 1984, especially as regards the Problem and History section of the report.

Conclusions:

This site is recommended for further action under the CERCLA program as a high priority. A high priority is accorded the site due to the possible severe effects of approximately 15 million gallons of sodium carbonate and phosphoric acid having been disposed of into 15 injection wells at depths of approximately 40 feet during the timeframe 1953 to 1974. Offsite releases to ditches along the south, north (R.R. tracks), and west (R.R. tracks) sides of the site and use of an employee vegetable garden on site (!) are also of concern.